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Dear Commissioner,

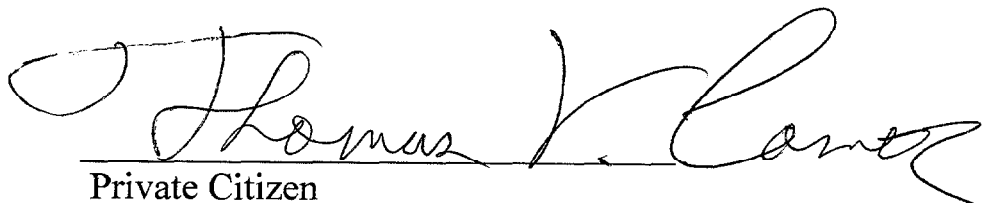
I write to you today to urge you, in the example of our European Brethren, to take the leadership position and immediately ban animal uses of growth-promoting antibiotics used in human medicine.

The series of meetings you have initiated aside, we need to realize that the chemical similarity of the antibiotics used to enhance growth in chickens, pigs and cattle are directing us toward a time when these medicines will be ineffectual against infectious diseases in the human population.

Please act NOW and prevent human tragedy in the future.

Thank you for an opportunity to warn of the dire consequences of future havoc.

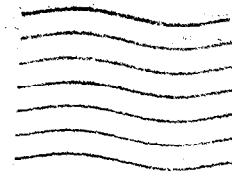
Ignore the wind, reap the whirlwind,


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